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Re: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/658,852
Title: *"Method and Apparatus For Obtaining Storage Information From a Transaction Log"*
Attorney Reference: BMC530/4-008CON2US

Dear Sir:

Please find enclosed a copy of the Amendment and Response to Office Action Dated August 1, 2006 in connection with the above-referenced application.

Please acknowledge receipt of the enclosed documents by date stamping the enclosed postcard and returning it to this office.

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This paper is submitted in response to the Final Office Action mailed August 1, 2006, for which the date for response is November 1, 2006.

Applicant hereby requests and authorizes the Commissioner to deduct any required fees from the Vinson & Elkins L.L.P. Deposit Account No. 22-0365, Attn: BMC530/4-008CON2US.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.